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RETURN

Of Many Workmen to the Demmler Tin Plate Mill

Is Promised for Tomorrow.

The Mayor of McKeesport Has Issued a Proclamation Cautioning Organized Labor People Against Acts of Violence—The Charges Against Shaffer are Ignored.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

McKeesport, Sept. 4.—It is reported this morning that fully two-thirds of the old employees of the Demmler Tin Plant mill will go back to work today or tomorrow. In view of this fact Mayor Black has issued a proclamation cautioning organized labor against any acts of violence. Black says President Shaffer has approved this advice. Black also says he does not expect violence, but word of caution is always in order.

Predicted the Strike Will End Next Week.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Pittsburg, Sept. 4.—Newspapers here today say it is becoming the conviction that the great steel strike is about over and it is expected by Monday that between six and seven thousand men will be at work in the National Tube plant.

Gompers Denies Matters Charged to Him.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Pittsburg, Sept. 4.—President Gompers today in a signed letter denies that himself or any committee of Federated Labor met at Buffalo to consider matters detrimental to President Shaffer or to the Amalgamated Association.

THE CHARGES IGNORED.

No Investigation to Be Made of President Shaffer's Conduct of Strike.

Pittsburg, Sept. 4.—Developments in the steel strike show decided gains for the manufacturers. The accession of 33 skilled men to the Star plant, the increased production at the Painter and the Lindsay & McCutcheon mills, the defection from the strikers' ranks of 75 machinists and pipe curriers at Continental tube works and 50 at the Pennsylvania tube works, the importation of 12 men to the Monaca steel hoop mill and the installation of three mills on night turn at the Clark mill, all point to an early resumption all along the line, as viewed by the steel officials. The Amalgamated officials, however, make the claim that everything is progressing satisfactorily, and say that much of the supposed advantage of the manufacturers is bluff and can not be made good.

Matters at McKeesport are quiet, and to all appearances unchanged. It is reported that the strikers at Duquesne intend to make another effort to close that plant by getting the open heart men out. At Wheeling the strikers are holding their own and there is no indication of an attempt to start any of the shut down plants. Wellsville reports no change.

Amalgamated leaders in Pittsburg do not believe that there will be any investigation of the charges made by Mr. Hickey at Milwaukee. Secretary Williams said that if a committee should come here for the purpose it would not be received by the Amalgamated officials. President Shaffer received many endorsements of his course and encouragement to remain firm. The president himself is confident, and professes to be entirely satisfied with the progress of the strike.

Mayor Black issued a proclamation to the workmen of McKeesport. He says: "I have maintained all along that there would be no disorder and still have confidence in the workmen. Use no undue zeal in keeping men out of the Demmler mill, for I have heard it will be started this

week. The venal eastern press has exaggerated and distorted every trifling occurrence into a riot, and injured the town. Any violence would be the signal for the application of the infamous principle of government by injunction, and would divorce the support of local workmen outside the Amalgamated Association. Violence never won a strike. Nothing can be gained by lawbreaking. I feel no uneasiness, but issue this proclamation to keep you cool-headed. Use all precaution possible to keep order, that the hot-headed element, if there may be any, may be easily controlled."

A movement which may be of considerable moment in the strike came to light. Letters from influential tin plate workers of Joliet have been received by leading tin plate strikers at the Demmler and Star plants urging them to break away from the Amalgamated Association and join the Tin Plate Workers' International association, which now includes practically all the men who work in tin houses or finishing departments of tin plate plants. It is argued that this would put the tin plate workers in position to ask for a scale next year, whereas, if they remain with the Amalgamated Association and the strike should be lost, they would be compelled to go back to work individually. The movement, if carried out successfully, would mean that the tin plate workers now on strike would return to work at once, and the tin plate company could resume at all of its plants within a short time.

PRIVATE POLICE

Will Guard McKinley While at the Pan-American.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Buffalo, Sept. 4.—Complete arrangements have been made for police and military protection of President McKinley while at the Pan-American. He will never be without guard or a secret service man, while on the grounds at Niagara Falls.

DEAD BROKE.

An Indiana City is in a Deep Hole.

Must Borrow Quarter Million to Pay Bills.

A Warning to Lima and Other Cities Where the People's Money is Wasted Like Water.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Indianapolis, Sept. 4.—The city of Indianapolis is dead broke. Comptroller Dunn must borrow \$237,000 by October 1 to pay current debts. The council finance committee discovered today that this will exceed the constitutional debt limit, and the people holding claims against the city will have to wait probably for months before they can be paid.

SON

Get Four Year's Sentence to the Pen

And His Father May Have to Go Also.

The Latter Tried to Aid the Boy to Break Jail After Eloping With a Fifteen-year-old Girl.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Cathoun, Ga., Sept. 4.—A sentence of four years has been imposed on Russell York, 29, who eloped with the 15 year-old daughter of Jos. Campbell. The girls father proceeded against him for kidnapping. York's father was found guilty of aiding his son in an attempt to break jail but has not been sentenced.

SNUBBED US.

President Castro Does Not Want Interference.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Washington, Sept. 4.—President Castro has administered a snub to United States by not accepting nor declining the good offices of this country in the trouble between Venezuela and Colombia, thus intimating that Venezuela wants no interference from Uncle Sam.

Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Sept. 4.—Cattle 20,000, steady; hogs 25,000, 5 to 10 cents higher; sheep 20,000, steady.

GREATEST

Bet in the History is Now Up.

Nearly Half Million Bet on the Yacht Race.

Several Prominent Pittsburg Citizens Have Staked Big Sums Back of the American Cup Defender.

Pittsburg, Sept. 4.—The great international yacht race bet of \$400,000 between the English syndicate, represented by Walter J. Kingsley of London, and a group of patriotic Pittsburghers represented by William I. Mustin, was finally arranged. The entire sum was deposited in the hands of the stakeholder, Mr. Kingsley turning over \$150,000 in British banknotes and Mr. Mustin giving a certified check for \$250,000. What is said to be the greatest bet in history was thus successfully consummated.

The name of the stakeholder is one closely guarded secret in the bet. The names of the men composing the syndicate is also kept from the public. "They are all well known Pittsburgh gentlemen," said Mr. Mustin, "but for obvious reasons their names are being withheld. They are backing the American boat because they are anticipating another victory for the Yankee skippers and look upon the matter with the eyes of business men. However, if the Englishmen should take the cup away, they would not turn a hair."

No Change in Pittsburg. Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Pittsburg, Sept. 4.—The strike conditions are quiet and unchanged here this morning.

QUICK

Work was Done by the Justice.

Four Persons

Constituted the Entire Party at Trial.

Secrecy was Necessary to Prevent Lynching of the Prisoner

Who was Accused of Being the Assailant of Little Anna Place.

Placed Under a Bond of \$5,000.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Ottawa, O., Sept. 4.—A quick piece of work in the line of court proceedings was accomplished yesterday when Foster Nutter accused as the assailant of Little Anna Place was taken from jail here, placed in a carriage and driven over the line into his home township for the preliminary trial. But four persons were present, the prisoner, justice of the peace, deputy sheriff and stenographer. The trial was in a carriage and consumed but a few minutes. Nutter waived examination and was bound over under a bond of \$5,000. The trial was held secretly to prevent lynching.

PRESIDENT

And Party Start for the Exposition.

Pan-American Grounds Will be Visited Tomorrow.

An Elaborate Program Will Attend the Observance of President's Day at the Big Show in Buffalo.

Canton, O., Sept. 4.—President and Mrs. William McKinley started for Buffalo at 10 a. m. The train was a special one and a large crowd was on hand to see the start. The party consisted of the president, Mrs. McKinley, maid and nurse; Misses Mary and Ida Barber of Canton and Miss Sarah Duncan of Cleveland, niece of President and Mrs. McKinley; Secretary to the President Cortelyou, Dr. Rixley, Mrs. Webster and Mr. Latta, two of the executive officer's stenographers. On Thursday the president will take part in the exercises of president's day at the Pan-American exposition, which will include an address by the president. On Friday the president and party will be taken to Niagara Falls to see the sights, and will return to the exposition in the afternoon for a brief reception. The party will leave Buffalo about 10 o'clock Saturday morning and reach Cleveland about 3 in the afternoon. In Cleveland the president will be the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Myron T. Herrick until Tuesday, when they will go to the home of Senator and Mrs. Hanna for the remainder of the week. The president will participate in the exercises incident to the national encampment of the Grand Army. They will probably return to Canton on Saturday, Sept. 14, to remain a few days, after which they will return to Washington.

VIPER BIT HIM

And the Unfortunate Man is at the Point of Death.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Zanesville, Sept. 4.—J. P. Redpath, carpenter and foreman for the Cincinnati and Muskingum Valley Railway company, was bitten by viper while at work yesterday. He is now lying at the point of death in the city hospital suffering great agony.

No Change in Pittsburg. Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Pittsburg, Sept. 4.—The strike conditions are quiet and unchanged here this morning.

The Weather. Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Washington, Sept. 4.—Ohio, fair to night and Thursday.

BROKEN UP

And the Metal Will be Made Into Medals

Illustrating Lawton Trying to Get a Race

With the New York Yacht Club. Prizes Will be Offered Artists and Sculptors for the Best Designs.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Boston, Sept. 4.—With flags flying, Lawton's would be American cup defender Independence, was taken to South Boston this morning to be broken up. Lawton says the metal in her will be designed into groups of figures illustrating the incidents of his attempt to get a race with the New York yacht club and he will offer prizes to the artists and sculptors of the world over for the best designs.

PEARY

Said to Have Found Sverdrup

In Greenland.

The Swedish Explorer Left His Home

Three Years Ago and Has Not Been Heard From.

Friends of Andree Hoped That Peary Would Find That Intrepid Explorer Some Where in Greenland.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Gothenburg, Sept. 4.—News has been received here that Peary has found Sverdrup, the Swedish explorer, who left for the North Pole three years ago on the western coast of Greenland. It is believed that Sverdrup who sailed in a frame ship that carried Nansen so far north, was unprepared to go around Greenland. The report has caused a great deal of anxiety here among those who hoped that Sverdrup would find Andree some where on the coast of Greenland.

LONDON

May Receive the Beaumont Product.

Ex-Governor Hogg One of the Chief Promoters

Who Will Go to England Next Week for the Purpose of Interesting Some Foreign Capital.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Fort Worth, Texas, Sept. 4.—Ex-Governor James P. Hogg and James W. Swayne promoters of the Hogg-Swayne Oil syndicate at Beaumont, will leave next week for London. They will go to interest capital in the organization of big companies to handle oil from Texas and arrange for the transportation of the product.

PRINCE CHUN

Received Today by Kaiser and Imperial Staff.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Potsdam, Sept. 4.—Kaiser Wilhelm received Prince Chun, head of the Chinese Expiatory Mission today. Baron Von Richtshoren, the German minister of foreign affairs and the Imperial staff attended the audience.

Grain Market. Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Chicago, Sept. 4.—Closing September wheat 69; corn 54; oats 33; pork 14.35.

THE END NEAR.

Important Meeting of Amalgamated Lodges Tomorrow

To Determine Upon a Line of Action. Twenty Skilled Men Apply for Work at Cleveland.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Joliet, Ill., Sept. 4.—A joint meeting of the local lodges of the Amalgamated Association will be held tomorrow morning to discuss the strike situation. The meeting is expected to result in an order to return to work Monday morning. No information is vouchsafed by the strikers but their demeanor indicates that they intend to go to work as soon as possible. The committee held a long conference with the superintendent of the Illinois plant this morning.

A Break Made in Cleveland.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Cleveland, Sept. 4.—A break in the steel strikers ranks was made here today. Twenty-one Amalgamated men asked for work at the Crescent Tin Plate plant and were taken in. All were skilled workmen.

FRIGHTFUL

Discovery Made by a State Treasurer Lets Congressman's Son.

Two Women were Killed and Mangled by a Train.

Bodies were Awaiting Identification and One was Recognized by W. H. Ramsey, Jr., as His Mother.

Milwaukee, Sept. 4.—Mrs. E. S. Barney of West Bend, wife of Congressman E. S. Barney of the Fifth district, and Mrs. W. H. Ramsey, secretary of Fort Washington, wife of a former state bank comptroller, were killed by a Northwestern train one mile south of the Port Washington station. The women were driving across the track and the train struck them. For over two hours the remains lay at the station at Port Washington. Their identification proved a tragic affair. After many had viewed the remains W. H. Ramsey, Jr., who was about to take a train from Port Washington, was asked to see if he could recognize the bodies. Mr. Ramsey stepped into the waiting room, where the bodies lay covered with sheets. He picked up the covering upon the body of Mrs. Barney, but the remains were so terribly mangled he could not make out the features. He lifted the cover from the other body and fell back trembling with blanched face. He had looked upon the dead face of his mother. Congressman Barney was trying a case in Judge Dick's court at the time. He was overcome by the shock and court adjourned.

FLATTERED

By His Treatment by the Western People.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Chicago, Sept. 4.—Vice president Roosevelt started east this morning immensely pleased with his treatment in Minneapolis and Chicago.

AFTER RAILROADS.

Tom Johnson Will Give Testimony Tomorrow.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Columbus, Sept. 4.—Tom L. Johnson will appear before the state board of railway equalization tomorrow to point out where in the railroads of Ohio are escaping taxation of several million dollars worth of property.

It might reduce federal expenses if the toll of the bells could be collected.

BONDS SOLD.

Discovery Made by a State Treasurer Lets Them Go at Auction

To Protect the Holders of Debentures.

The Bonds were Converted Into Cash That the Distribution Ordered by Court Might be Made.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Columbus, Sept. 4.—State Treasurer Cameron today sold at public outcry the bonds deposited by the Ohio and Equitable Debenture companies of Columbus and the Savings Security company of Cleveland, for the protection of debenture holders. This was to convert the bonds into cash that the treasurer may distribute it as directed by the courts. The bonds of all other companies will be sold later.

ASSAULTED

And Shot for a Small Sum of Money.

The Victim of the Tragedy Died This Morning from Effects of His Injury.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat.

Kokomo, Ind., Sept. 4.—Benj. Dotterer, who was assaulted and shot Monday at midnight by a gang of eight robbers in his home, six miles from here, died this morning. Dotterer and his wife spent Labor Day in the city and while here sold some land for which they received \$300 as part payment. It is thought that the burglars were after this money. There is not the slightest clew to the identity of his assailants.

CAPTURED

By the Boers and Put in Prison.

A Plucky Columbus Boy Escapes and Got Inside the British Lines.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Columbus, Sept. 4.—A letter has been received from Howard B. Dunn, a Columbus boy, in which he discloses that he is in the signal service of Great Britain, South America, and was taken prisoner by the Boers. He made his escape from the enemy's prison and worked his way to the British lines.

Fancy

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NEWS

Of the City Across the River.

A Soldier Lad

Who Served in South Africa Returns.

Three-year-old Child Falls a Distance of Twenty Feet from a Porch.

Preparations About Completed for the Laying of the Corner Stone for St. John's Church, Sunday.

Frederick Berger is again at his home on McPherson avenue, having just returned from South Africa, where he served several months in the Transvaal. When he went to the Transvaal it was his intention to enlist in the Boer army but circumstances prevented. His sympathies have always been with the Dutch. He has many interesting stories to relate. He is now employed by H. F. Van Horn on McPherson avenue.

Rev. Father Rupert, of St. John's parish in south Lima, is completing arrangements for the corner stone laying of the new Catholic church Sunday. Besides Bishop Hartman, of Cleveland, who will conduct the ceremonies, there will be notable clergymen present from different parts of the state. The bishop, with his party are expected to arrive Saturday evening about six o'clock. They will be escorted to Father Rupert's on south Main street where he assisted by other clergymen will entertain the distinguished guest. The bishop with all visiting priests will be present at the celebration of mass in the chapel in Wheeler's hall. Later the corner stone laying ceremonies will occur. The event promises to be a red letter day in the history of the new parish. Visitors will be present from Cleveland, Toledo, Dayton, Cincinnati, also from the immediately surrounding towns. The occasion will be marked by elaborate ecclesiastical functions as well as civic demonstrations.

Writing from San Francisco, Cal., to his mother, Mrs. Cavins, on south Main street, Ora Cavins speaks interestingly of his return from the Philippines, where he has been in the United States service. He tells of a social gathering in the camp prior to embarking for home at which several other Lima boys besides himself were present. He is not certain where his next assignment will be but thinks he will be stationed in Montana. His south side friends are glad to learn his several weeks illness in the Philippines did not prove serious.

This morning Leon, the three year old son of John Magoon on south Main street, was playing on the rear porch of a flat when he fell over the railing to the ground twenty feet below. It is remarkable that the child was not killed. No bones were fractured but the attending physician fears it is injured internally, how seriously is not yet known. Its condition is precarious.

This morning a stranger stole a bicycle belonging to George Wollet on south Union street. He retained the wheel several hours when he was seen to throw the bicycle into Wollet's yard. He escaped before he could be identified. Being a boy's wheel it is thought the man could not use it to advantage so brought it back.

A child of Mr. Bishop on Holly street, has the scarlet fever. George Pugsley, of west Kibby street, who with his wife, has been visiting in Auburn, Ind., returned home today.

Joseph Williams, of south Main street, in company with his wife, will

Pleasure Versus Pain.

It is said that "no one knows pleasure until he has known pain." If this is so, what pleasure there must be in store for the Rheumatism! It is absolutely impossible, however, for them to know pleasure until they get rid of their Rheumatism. The secret way for them to do this is to use Athlo-phos. It has given pleasure to over 50,000 people by curing their Rheumatism. It will give pleasure to everyone that uses it. One bottle of Athlo-phos will give immediate relief. A few bottles will cure it. It is folly not to try it. After the first bottle you will know pleasure as you have known pain.

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leave in the morning for Petoskey, where they will recreate a while. Mrs. J. Fletcher, with Mrs. Harry Green, have gone to Hepburn to attend a family reunion.

Miss Pearl Kers is entertaining friends from Spencerville at her home on Greenlawn avenue.

Harvey Ballard from Piqua, is the guest of relatives on St. Johns avenue.

R. M. Johnson, accompanied by his wife, left yesterday for their home at McVeyton, Pa., after a visit at the home of W. H. Tompkins on south Pine street.

J. F. Van Horn, with Roy Tompkins, are home from attending a family reunion at Findlay.

C. W. Busic, of south Main street, transacted business at Delphos yesterday.

Miss Ethel Dilly, clerk at Lamson's on south Main street, left last night for Portland, Ind., to spend her vacation.

Otis Overfield is ill at his home in south Lima. He is threatened with typhoid fever.

Mrs. Dora Plance from Spencerville, is being entertained by Mrs. C. S. Keller on south Central avenue.

D. O'Connor is suffering from two fingers on his right hand which were crushed while working yesterday.

Tomorrow evening after school, Leuthman will entertain the Days Brigade at his home on south Elizabeth street.

Last night Henry Friedle became suddenly ill while transacting business on south Main street. He was so ill that grave apprehensions were entertained. Excruciating pain was suffered for nearly an hour. He was finally relieved sufficiently to go to his home. His illness is attributed to eating some pickled fish put up in tin cans. It seems they were tainted by the tin. Mr. Friedle is still unable to work.

Last night evangelist Sims preached at the south Lima Christian church on the subject of the "Prevailing Church." Tonight his theme will be "The Great Commission." Thursday night on "Lord Remember Me." Friday evening "What Shall I Do When God Riseth Up?" Sunday's sermons will be upon "Power not Profession." "The Supreme Question." Sunday afternoon special sermon to ladies on "What Can a Woman Do?"

Frank Welker, of Ada, with his children, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Bert Crosson, on Reece avenue.

Mrs. Cook, of Celina, visited yesterday with her daughter Miss Grace, on St. Johns avenue.

Lewis Armstrong has returned to his home on St. Johns avenue from a trip to Delphos.

Jacob Armstrong from McGuffey, with his wife, are guests at the home of Henry Dabler on St. Johns avenue.

Mrs. Eugene Martin returned last night to her home on east Kibby street, from a several weeks visit in Iowa.

Mrs. S. W. Miller, on west Kibby street is hostess to Mrs. G. M. Clark, from Fort Worth, Texas. Miss Daisy Davis, of that city is also a guest of Mrs. Miller.

Will Cure Stomach Ache in Five Minutes.

This is just what Pain Killer will do; try it. Have a bottle in the house for instant use, as it will save you hours of suffering, watch out that the dealer does not sell you an imitation, as the great reputation of Pain Killer (Perry Davis'), has induced many people to try to make something to sell, said to be "just as good as the genuine."

AID SOCIETY NOTICE.

The Ladies Aid Society of Trinity M. E. church, will meet Thursday afternoon at two o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Rineboldt, south Main street. All members are requested to be present.

Mrs. W. W. Holten, Secy.

Red is a danger signal on the railroad, on a fellow's nose and on a woman's face. Men and women use Rocky Mountain Tea and get genuine rosy cheeks. 35c. Ask your druggist.

She—"How much do you love me?" He—"Lots." She (anxiously)—"Do you own them."

OFF FOR BUFFALO.

Kilbourne-Jacobs Company Takes All of its Employees to Exposition.

Thursday evening two trainloads of the employees of the Kilbourne-Jacobs factory left the Union depot for Buffalo and the exposition. It was a great sight. Hundreds of employees of the company filled the depot hours before the time for starting. It was the annual excursion of the Kilbourne-Jacobs company and every one of the hundreds of employees expected a big time.

The concern gives its employees an outing every year, but this year the company took advantage of the exposition to make the occasion a more extended one than the ordinary. The concern took its employees to the World's fair in 1893, so the trip to Buffalo is not an innovation.

The excursionists will visit Niagara while away and two days will be spent at the exposition. This is the largest excursion to Buffalo to leave this city this summer and it is probable that it is the largest party to visit the exposition from any point.

The excursionists will not be cut anything financially by the trip except such money as they may care to spend, as the Kilbourne-Jacobs company foots the bills.

Colonel Kilbourne has been very anxious to make this excursion the largest and best ever given his employees and has given the arrangements his personal attention.—Columbian Citizen.

Like Daisies Before the Scythe.

Baby lives are destroyed in summer by cholera infantum. The attack of the disease is sudden, its progress is sometimes terribly rapid. Mothers who have given their children Perry Davis Pain Killer in water with a few drops of brandy added can tell how this treatment has checked the diarrhoea and vomiting, and put the little patient out of danger. 25 and 50 cents.

A PLEASANT PICNIC.

Despite the threatening aspect of the weather, the Lafayette Christian Sunday school sent the largest representation of scholars that they ever sent to any picnic, last Saturday morning to the Bethlehem Sunday school picnic. Two large picnic wagons were well loaded. Besides this many went in conveyances of their own. The Sunday school also took the land with them. Although it remained cloudy all day, and rained some after dinner, the picnic was a success. The children as well as the older people, of course, enjoyed themselves greatly. One can only conjecture as to how much larger a representation would have been sent had the weather been fine. As it was, all were well pleased. The Sunday school is now under the superintendency of Alfred E. Hodges, who worked very industriously to make the picnic a success as far as his school was concerned.

THERE ARE MANY ROADS

The Finger Points Marking the Many By-paths of Present Day Troubles All Seem to Point the Same Way—Lack of Nerve Force.

Day-by-day the columns of this paper bring new evidence from Lima people of the great work being done by Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills. Why they accomplish so much is easily explained, they are prepared with an eye single to restoring Nerve Force. They accomplish this object which no other medicine in the world has ever been able to do. That's why hundreds of Lima people offer their testimony.

Mr. H. Stroupe, of 439 north Elizabeth street, Lima, Ohio, says: "My trouble is an old one, a sort of epileptic trouble, very nervous, seizures coming on with heavy nervous trembling in the morning. I felt the only way to overcome these seizures was to build up the nervous system. I got Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills at W. M. Melville's drug store and they have done remarkably well by me. I feel stronger, steadier, brighter every way and the attacks lighter and further apart. I feel this building up that the Nerve Pills are giving me can not help but result rightly."

Dr. A. W. Chase's Nerve Pills are sold at 50c a box at dealers or Dr. A. W. Chase Medicine Co., Buffalo, N. Y. See that portrait and signature of A. W. Chase, M. D. are on every package.

"I'll quit writing for this sheet," announced the angry contributor. "What is the trouble?" inquired the editor. Why, those last notes of mine were headed "Suburbs and Environs," and the compositor made it "Souspends and Andirons."

Constipation neglected or badly treated leads to total disability or death. Rocky Mountain Tea absolutely cures constipation in all its forms. 35c. Ask your druggist.

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OKLAHOMA LAND SALES

Big Prices Paid For Sites In the New Towns.

LOT IN LAWTON BROUGHT \$3,500.

Assistant Land Commissioner Richards Tells About the Boom in the Kiowa-Comanche Reservation. Seven Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars' Worth of Real Estate Sold in Three Towns.

W. A. Richards, assistant land commissioner, has returned to Washington from Oklahoma territory, where he has been laying out town sites and directing the opening of the Kiowa and Comanche reservation, writes the correspondent of the New York Commercial Advertiser. Commissioner Richards says that the bidding for the lands was brisk and sharp and drove the prices well up. One 25 foot lot in the business section of Hobart brought \$2,100 and a 25 foot front in Lawton \$3,500.

"Altogether it appears to me as if the new land in these towns would prove a good investment," Mr. Richards said, "although it sold for such large prices. The people who buy are of a substantial class of citizens, who apparently intend to remain in the country and participate in its development. Most of them come from Mississippi, Georgia, Texas, Arkansas, Nebraska and neighboring states. They have money and are industrious. Few seem to be buying for speculation, for they are unwilling to sell after they buy, even for a good profit."

"I think it is a conservative estimate that the amount of the real estate sales in the three towns of Lawton, Hobart and Adaok will aggregate \$750,000. The sales in Lawton, which I regard as the finest town of all, have already exceeded \$200,000 and will go to \$400,000 at least. The sales at Hobart now exceed \$100,000 and will go to \$250,000."

In Adaok the government has already disposed of land that brought \$700,000. The proceeds of these sales of town lots after the government has been recompensed for its outlay go to the counties. They will have a neat sum with which to begin business.

"Lawton I regard as a very active candidate in the future for the capital. At present it is 50 miles from the railroad, but the Rock Island is building in there as fast as men can grade the roadbed and lay the rails. The work is being done substantially, and no expense is spared in cuts and grades."

"The population of the territory has naturally increased enormously with the coming of so many settlers, and they have brought a great deal of money with them. Accordingly business has been on the boom. On a conservative estimate the town of El Reno alone has taken in almost \$2,000,000 from those new settlers during the last few weeks. There were about 175,000 arrivals in El Reno, and probably every one of them spent at least \$10 before getting out of town. To the credit of Oklahoma it should be said that they did not raise their regular prices. The hotels filled the corridors and offices with coats, but if there was any room a guest could get his bed for 50 cents a night or for whatever rate it had been customary to charge before the time of the boom. The banks in El Reno were simply bursting with money for a time. Newcomers hastened to a bank to deposit their funds, and it happened that a little bank with only \$25,000 capital would sometimes have deposits amounting to half a million dollars or more."

Mr. Richards does not intend to return to Oklahoma, at least for the present, as the business there has been left in the hands of competent clerks, most of whom are from the land office in Washington.

NEW AMERICAN COUNTESS.

Daughter of Levi P. Morton to Marry a Count.

Former Governor Morton of New York, who is spending the summer at Virginia Water, on the edge of Windsor forest, will leave one of his daughters behind him when he sails for America, says a London cable to the Philadelphia Press. The engagement is announced of Miss Helen Morton with Count Boson de Perigord, second son of Duc de Talleyrand and Sagan.

The marriage will take place during the autumn and probably in London rather than Paris or New York, since Governor Morton and his family are here. Count Boson de Perigord has served in the French army, lives in Paris, has estates in Germany and Algeria and is about 34 years of age. His brother, who is heir to the title Duc de Talleyrand Perigord and Sagan, is 42 and unmarried. The family is one of the oldest in France, dating back nearly to the time of Charlemagne.

A New Disease.

"Conductor's clasp," is the name of a disease which the London Free Press declares has been added to the medical repertoire through the "burly seamy" of the age and the bounding propensity of the young and active woman. The cause is this: A bus appears in sight. The modern girl makes a leap on to the lower step. When in mid-air, the conductor grips her hard midway between the shoulder blade and the hips. The grip or clasp is followed by bruises and contusions. The arm, affected by successive grips, gets tender and sometimes swollen. Medical aid is called in with more or less effect. This is the new disorder known as "conductor's clasp."

LIMA COLLEGE.

The fall term opens Tuesday, September 10. A large number of students have already announced themselves, others will follow. All departments open. Work thorough. Graduates accepted by the universities west and east. For information, apply to Carl Ackerman, New phone 544.

"Say, cut!" said the burly individual. "What do you mean be tellin' people I was a 'hard citizen'?" "That's all right," hastily explained the meek man, "I meant you were a brick."

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GRAND ANNUAL MACKINAC ISLAND AND DETROIT EXCURSION.

On Thursday, September 5th, the Ohio Central Lines will run their popular annual Mackinac excursion via the C. & D. Navigation Co's Steamship "City of Alpena." Fare for the round trip will be \$7.00 from Charleston, \$6.00 from Ft. Pleasant, Gallipolis, Pomeroy, Middleport and Athens, \$5.00 from Granville and Columbus, and proportionately low rates from all other stations to Mackinac Island and rate to Detroit will be \$2.00 less.

A special train will be run to connect with Steamer "City of Alpena" leaving Toledo, Ohio, Central Dock, at 4:00 p. m., Sept. 5th.

Return Limit. Tickets will be good leaving Mackinac until Wednesday, September 18th, and Detroit, Sept. 19th.

Stop-over. Mackinac tickets will be good for stop-over at Detroit on return trip only, within limit, and must be used leaving Detroit not later than September 19th. Baggage will be checked through.

Further and detail information can be obtained by calling on or addressing any agent of the Ohio Central Lines.

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"I had a running sore on my leg for seven years," writes Mrs. Forest of Chippewa Falls, Wis., "and spent hundreds of dollars in trying to get it healed. Two boxes of Banner Salve entirely cured it." Beware of substitutes.

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Allen County Fair Excursion to Fort Wayne via Pennsylvania Lines.

Excursion tickets to Fort Wayne for the Allen county fair will be sold September 10th to 13th, inclusive, from Forest, Valparaiso and intermediate ticket stations on the Pennsylvania lines. For particulars see local agents.

CONSUMPTION THREATENED.

C. Unger, 212 Maple street, Champaign, Ill., writes: "I was troubled with a hacking cough for a year and I thought I had consumption. I tried a great many remedies and was under the care of physicians for several months. I used one bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. It cured me, and I have not been troubled since."

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TO CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS.

Notice is hereby given by trustees of the Presbyterian church of Gomer, Ohio, that sealed bids will be received until 8 o'clock p. m., Saturday, September 6th, 1901.

Said bids to specify amount for which the proposed frame church will be built. Plans and specifications can be seen at the store of G. W. Griffith, Gomer, Ohio. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved by said trustees.

W. O. ROBERTS.

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of Stark County.For Clerk of Supreme Court,
HARRY YOUNG,
of Cuyahoga County.For Attorney General,
M. B. MCCARTHY,
of Lucas County.For Member Board Public Works,
JAMES G. HOLMAN,
of Brown County.For Judge of Supreme Court,
JOSEPH HIBY,
of Fayette County.For State Treasurer,
R. P. ALESHIRE,
of Galia County.For State Senators,
STEPHEN D. CRITES,
of Allen County,
WM. E. DECKER,
of Paulding County.For Representative,
JOHN W. MANGES.For Judge of Common Pleas Court,
HUGH T. MATHERS,
of Shelby County.For Sheriff,
EUGENE J. BARR.For Treasurer,
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SOCIATION.

Trade with Spain since the war has been improved. The exports to Spain during the past fiscal year were nearly \$16,000,000 in value, and our imports from Spain \$5,500,000. Whatever the Spaniards may think of us as a nation, they do not carry their dislike to the extent of rejecting our raw materials. They buy nearly ten million dollars worth of our cotton in the course of a year's business.

In the marshes of the Kankakee river, in Illinois, 10,000 acres of swamp land have been reclaimed and planted to sugar beets. The present crop is estimated at 30,000 tons. A number of beets, selected at random, showed 14 per cent sugar and 85 per cent purity. This, and a similar experiment in swamp land near the Michigan state line, will probably determine the future use of many thousands of acres of marsh in the western states.

And now comes the information that a policeman or secret service man will always be present with President McKinley while that dignitary is at the Pan-American exposition or at Niagara Falls, to prevent his being touched by the common herd or injured by some crank. Those who have been at either place are of the opinion that similar precaution should be taken with every other person who goes there for no visitor can turn to the right or left without being "touched."

A London cable announces that the Danish government has finally accepted the offer of the United States of a lump sum for the cession of the Danish West Indian islands. The United States government would doubtless have been well satisfied if Denmark had been content to retain possession of her islands; but having practically scared off other purchasers, it was only fair for Uncle Sam to add them to his West Indian group, and thus better assure the defensive protection of his own coast line and the approaches to the future isthmian ship canal.

VAST

Improvement Being
Made

On Local Lines

And the Cost Runs Up
Into Millions.The Pennsylvania and Lake
Erie & Western Spend-
ing Lots of MoneyCutting Down Heavy Grades, and
the L. E. & W. Will Have the
Deepest Cut in the State
at Hartford City, Ind.

The Indianapolis Journal contained the following special telegram concerning some vast railway improvements on the Pennsylvania and Lake Erie roads.

"Hartford City, Ind., Aug. 31.—The greatest improvement ever made on this division of the Pennsylvania railway system is now nearing completion. The improvement consists of elevating the track and lowering it at various places between this city, Up-land and Dunkirk, and when completed will have cost in the neighborhood of one million dollars. The heavy grade just east of this city has been cut down many feet, and an elevated track supported by piles, extends through the city.

"Yesterday a party of officials of the railway company visited this city in a special car. The party included Ralph Peters, general superintendent of the southwestern division; General Manager Peck, of Pittsburgh; W. B. Loree, superintendent of the Indianapolis division; J. A. McGraw, chief engineer of maintenance of way on the southern division, and Assistant Engineer Bruzing, of the same department. It was learned here yesterday that it is the intention to make a double track of the road from Bradford Junction, Ohio, to Logansport, Ind. It has been noticed here for some time that the roadbed was being constructed much larger than for a single track, and the right of way has been widened by the purchase of an additional strip of land along the line. About 300 men are at work, but it is not believed the improvement will be completed before spring, although the work is carried on night and day.

"The Lake Erie and Western railway company also has under way just south of the crossing of the Pennsylvania line, an improvement of no small dimensions. A large gang of men is engaged in reducing the grade there sixteen feet. The grade was cut about fifty feet when the road was built, and the additional cut will make it the deepest in the state. In order to make the improvement a connection has been made at the north edge of the hill with the Panhandle switch to the South Side glass factory, and it is now used as a Y. The dirt taken from the Lake Erie cut is turned over to the Panhandle and used by the company in its fill. At the Panhandle crossing the Lake Erie track will be depressed six feet, and the Pennsylvania trestle is seventeen and one-half feet above the level of the Lake Erie, making a headway over the twenty-three feet. At the crossing the Pennsylvania will place huge stone abutments and steel trusses will carry the track. An abutment of concrete has been erected just south of the large plant of the Hartford City Paper company to keep the dirt off the mill buildings, as the elevated road at that point is even with the top of the mill roof, and a protective measure was imperative. The latter company has erected a new bridge over Lick creek, a small stream that runs west of the paper mill, that costs \$30,000.

"But few Americans are found among the large gang of laborers, as they quit each pay day, and their places are filled by Italians, who labor hard, live frugally and save a large part of their wages, depositing it with Italian banks in Pittsburgh or New York, but frequently sending it to their native land. The improvement is one of the most gigantic ever attempted in the state, the railroad civil engineers assert."

Engineers Will be Lonesome. Notwithstanding the fact that engineers and firemen say that the automatic firing machine is not practical and will never come into general use, they are closely watching the experiments that are now in progress on the Chicago and Alton and the Chicago and Eastern Illinois roads. The inventor claims that by the use of the firing machine the services of the fireman can be dispensed with. The ma-

chine is the invention of a practical engineer. It consists of a funnel-shaped trough, into which the coal is shoveled. In the funnel are screws that gradually force the coal into the fire-box and distribute it evenly over the fire. The funnel may be easily enlarged so that the coal will go into it from the tank of the engine.

Not a Perfect Success.

The Detroit Southern excursion on Labor Day landed the crowd in the Michigan city two hours and a half later than the scheduled time, and consequently there was a disgusted lot of passengers, who expressed themselves in terms not to be mistaken. The fault lay with the engine, according to the report of several who took the trip. It was necessary to stop several times en route to give it a rest and get up enough steam for another trial of speed.

Jurisdiction Extended. A circular letter received at the Pennsylvania offices in this city gives notice of the extension of the authority of General Manager G. L. Potter and his assistants, Messrs. L. O. Haas, J. T. Leary and T. J. Foley, of the Baltimore and Ohio. Hereafter those gentlemen will have charge of the Ohio River, the Ripley and Mill Creek Valley, the Ravenswood, Spencer and Granville, the Huntington and Big Sandy and the West Virginia Short Line branches of the Pennsylvania lines.—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

Everybody on the Go.

Because of the Labor Day excursions it was hardly expected that there would be much travel yesterday, but to the surprise of Agent Burkhardt, he had one of the busiest days since he became joint agent of the C. H. & D. and L. E. & W. roads. The office receipts ran over \$1200.

The month of August last year was remarkably good, but the record mark was smashed to smithereens when the report for this year was made up and forwarded to headquarters. The L. E. & W. receipts are \$2600 larger for this month than last year and the Pan-American is not wholly responsible for it, as without any of that business the general travel would have made the receipts better than 1900, made the receipts better than 1900.

General Notes.

Clover Leaf Superintendent K. A. Gohring has rented the C. H. & D. property on Scott street. Cyrus Burkhardt, chief dispatcher, has rented Mr. Nonh Crawford's residence on south Franklin street and both will move to Delphos from Frankfort.—Delphos Herald.

The Chicago and Erie road promises to become a much more powerful competitor to other trunk lines in the near future that it has been in the past. Grades are to be reduced and curves eliminated, in order that the speed and tonnage capacity of trains may be increased fully one-quarter. All trains on the Lake Erie and Western now arrive and leave Sandusky on the Lake Shore tracks instead of using a siding to reach the L. S. & M. S. passenger station.

Business has increased wonderfully on Findlay branch of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton railroad. The local freight trade is so large that the employees of the line worked as late as 11 o'clock several nights last week.

It is with considerable satisfaction that the railroads announce that Cedar Point, the great resort on Sandusky bay, will remain open indefinitely, instead of closing next week at the usual time. The cause of this, so the management of the Point states, is that the cold weather of June cut down the business to a great extent, and it is now their intention to keep the big resort open until cold weather shuts them down. It is likely that the Point will be open during the greater part of September, and the regular Sunday excursion on the L. E. & W. will be as popular as ever for several weeks.

The roads are offering Homeseekers rates on the first and third Tuesdays in each month, and yesterday there were six parties from Lima who went to points in the south and west. Roadmaster C. Shinneman, of Upper Sandusky, and R. Pett, of Van Wert, are here today looking after matters connected with the Pennsylvania.

The Pennsylvania work train, accompanied by a crew of shovelers, is stationed at the C. H. & D. crossing where the men are doing some ditching.

C. H. & D. Notes.

John Driscoll has taken a position of baggage man at the C. H. & D. depot, at Sidney. Taylor Faulder, for the past few months night operator at Columbus Grove, has been transferred to the C. H. & D. freight office at the same place and will take the position of bill clerk.

Seventy-one tickets were sold over the C. H. & D. and L. E. & W. roads to Buffalo yesterday, 36 of whom left on the C. H. & D. special excursion. The others went on regular trains. The "Star Boarder" company which held the stage at Fauront's opera house last night, left on No. 1 for Dayton this morning.

Passenger conductor George Ritter, of the Findlay branch, is off duty, and conductor Tom Durbin has been sent over to relieve him.

Brakeman Ginty, while assisting in

putting on a derailed car at Bowling, had a finger mashed and the injury is so painful that he will have to lay off for a few days.

Brakeman E. J. Phalen is taking a rest for a trip and brakeman Snyder is on car 31.

The entire crew on car 29, including conductor George Critten and brakeman H. L. Meyers and C. H. Kohli, have been granted a leave of absence and will enjoy a few days fishing.

Conductor W. W. Armstrong has gone to The Snobs for a short vacation and will string fish for Assistant Supt. Shoemaker. Conductor Wise will have Armstrong's car while he is away.

Yard Conductor Grant Long is acting temporarily as night yard master, Mr. Fritz being absent on a vacation which he is spending at the Snobs.

The big excursion to the Soldier's Home at Dayton under the patronage of the G. A. R., will be run Thursday and the crowd will likely be a record breaker if the weather remains pleasant. The train will leave at 5:30 a. m., and arrive at the Home at 8:30. Returning, the train will leave at 6 p. m. Fare for the round trip is \$1.25. L. E. & W. Notes From Findlay.

Night operator P. A. Sittman of the L. E. & W., has been transferred to Marysville.

The east bound L. E. & W. train carried 50 passengers to the Pan-American.

H. Morrison, who has been firing temporarily in the L. E. & W. switch engine, in the local yards, returned to Lima yesterday.

M. Parish formerly operator at Bluffton, has been transferred to the local L. E. & W. office as night operator.

E. Marks, regular fireman on the L. E. & W. switch engine in the local yards, assumed his duties yesterday, after a two weeks vacation.

A large number of tickets were sold to Arcadia yesterday over the L. E. & W. on account of the electric railway's inability to handle the enormous crowd.

Linenmen are stringing wires along the L. E. & W. tracks between Sandusky and Fremont. The work is progressing west and the men will arrive in Findlay in a few weeks. The company is adding another wire to its already efficient service.

LIMA BUSINESS COLLEGE.

The fall term at Lima Business College opens next Tuesday morning. Students contemplating a course in business or shorthand should make arrangements in advance of that date, if possible. The college office is open day and evenings. New phone 371.

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THE IDLER.

Lima the Winners.

The Electrical Works Lodge No. 32, of this city, visited Findlay on Labor Day, playing a game of base ball with the electrical workers of that place. At the round up the score was 7 to 5 in favor of Lima.

Heavy Revenue Receipts.

Over six millions of dollars have passed through the hands of the officials of the local United States internal revenue department since Collector Waldorf took his position on June 6, 1898, a little over three years ago. The exact figures up to August 31, 1901, are \$6,033,401.94.

The receipts from various sources for the month of August shows the neat total of \$170,537.17, divided as follows, with beer stamp sales away in the lead:

Lists, \$484.65; beer stamps, \$104,851.20; spirit stamps, \$30,333.55; cigar and cigarette stamps, \$18,574.29; tobacco stamps, \$6,010.83; special tax stamps, \$3,656.13; oleomargarine stamps, \$62.50; documentary and imported stamps, \$5,527.62; proprietary stamps, \$263.33.—Toledo Bee.

OFFICIAL BOARD MEETING.

There will be a special meeting of official board of Grace M. E. church, held this evening at 7:30.

\$5.00 to Petoskey and return via G. R. & I. on the annual excursion.

THE BLUFFTON WELL.

The Steiner Oil company, who are drilling well No. 1 on the John Diller farm, are highly elated over the prospect of having a first-class well, says the Bluffton News. From the beginning the well made a good showing, having over 600 feet of the amber fluid in the hole. The drillers are thirty feet in the sand. Tuesday night the well overflowed and a number of barrels of oil was wasted. This well is situated about 700 feet from the Oberly well, the only producing well in that territory. Jeasers are busy securing the surrounding territory and no doubt active work will be done in this new field at once.

GOOD

Words are Spoken
for Delphos.

The Delegates

Were Royally Enter-
tained There.Key to the City was Sus-
pended Above Sidewalk
Near the Depot.Convention was Short and Sweet
and the Visitors Had Plenty of
Time to Enjoy the Town's
Hospitality.

The judicial convention is over and the delegates who attended it have all returned to their homes to resume their respective duties, in the regular routine of life again but none of them have aught but good words and pleasant memories of Delphos and the Democrats and citizens generally of that bustling little city on the canal. The committees in charge of arrangements for the convention did their work in a manner that relegated many other towns where conventions have been held within the past few years to the rear of the procession. The reception committee made every delegate feel that he was precisely at home and welcomed to any comforts the town afforded and the first thing found when the delegates started up town from the depot on their arrival in the place was a huge key, decorated with ribbons and hung across the sidewalk just above the heads of pedestrians. The hotel accommodations were as good as could be found in many larger towns and the meals provided were excellent. If any one deserves credit more than any other for the pleasing manner in which the visitors were entertained that credit will have to be awarded to those two premiers of entertainers, W. J. Steidle and George Lindeman. They were untiring in their efforts to see that everybody was taken care of and made both comfortable and happy and in no instance where success was possible did they fail to attain it.

Caught by the Herald. The Allen county delegation was the first to open headquarters. The Shelby county boys were next and were followed closely by Van Wert, Allen and Shelby who were quartered at the Phalen while Van Wert went to the Bismark.

C. M. Tolan, of Lima, and Frank Eaton, of Bluffton, were interested spectators at the convention. Sheriff-elect Eugene Barr, of Lima, was here with the Allen county crowd. Probate Judge A. D. Miller, of Allen county, and Auditor Thos. Berry, of Van Wert county, were seen in the crowd.

C. A. Graham, of Lafayette, assistant in the County Clerk's office at Lima, was seen among the visitors. Frank Leland, a former Delphos townsman, came over from Lima to look in on the convention.

County Clerk M. J. Sullivan and Sheriff E. A. Bogart, were over from Lima. Representative C. H. Adkins, of Allen county, was in the city. Dr. D. H. Sullivan, of Lima, was a convention visitor, and was entertained at the home of J. R. Brown.

BOLD HOLD-UP

Of Express Train on Cotton

Belt Road

And a Big Wad of Money Stolen.

A Posse in Pursuit of the

Robbers.

Special by wire to Times-Democrat. Texarkana, Texas, Sept. 4.—Deputy Sheriff James Rochelle, followed by a posse of fifty men, left here at 1 o'clock this morning to intercept six robbers, who held up a cotton belt train at Elyau, five miles from here last night. The outlaws are known to be in the Sulphur river bottom moving towards the Louisiana line. It cannot be ascertained from the railroad company the amount stolen from the express coach, but it is thought to reach into the thousands. The passengers were unharmed.

Diphtheria, sore throat, croup, infant relief, permanent cure. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. At any drug store.

15c round trip to McBeth park for balance of the season.

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Is our motto, and yet our prices are as low as two-priced stores ask for inferior made goods.

Strictly one price, and no deviation, every representation guaranteed. Any article purchased here may be returned and your money will be refunded without argument. If you want the best only

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Silver Filling 75c
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PERSONAL.

Mrs. E. A. Worline, Mrs. J. James
Shroyer, Mrs. T. Shroyer, Miss Lela
Shroyer, Mrs. Wm. Powers, Mrs. John
Powers, all of Columbus this morn-
ing attended the state fair.

Mrs. I. M. Prather, of north West
street, is dangerously ill.

Frank Timmon is convalescing from
severe sick spell.

Levi Temper and family returned
yesterday from Cedar Point.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Edwards were
dinner in Delphos and Venedocia.

Mr. Tom Welsh accompanied by his
son and niece, Marie Speelman,
and Irene O'Connor returned
on a visit in Frank, Ohio.

Mrs. F. Pinn, Jr., is the guest of
Mrs. L. Pinn, in Lorain, Ohio.

Robert Peat has returned from a
visit to the Pan-American.

Mrs. Anna Callahan has returned
on a visit with friends in Toledo.

Mrs. Rose Green is visiting friends
in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. J. J. J.
of north Elizabeth street, are

Miss Anna Gorman has resigned
position at the Blacket notion
store and has accepted a position with
Bosch & Co.

Mrs. Anna Gorman, Margaret
and Julia Scully spent Labor
day with friends in Wapakoneta.

Mrs. Amy O'Connor, one of the
graduates from St. Rose
school, has succeeded Miss Mar-
tine as bookkeeper at the
mill.

Mrs. W. S. Connair and daughter
Anna spent Labor Day in Ce-
neca.

Mrs. Katherine Welsh has returned
on a brief visit with friends in
Lima.

Mrs. Connair and sister Miss Mary
came after a visit in Detroit.

Mrs. L. F. Ellis, of south Baxter
street, and sister Miss Fannie Brown,
have returned from a six
week visit with New York and Penn-
sylvania relatives.

Mrs. Jennette and Miss Jessie
of west Market street, left last
night for the Erie road for
a four-day trip.

Mrs. Greenleaf, of Wapakoneta,
in our city yesterday, looking
for west Market street residence.

Mrs. J. W. Griffen and daughter
came home from a visit at James
Chataqua and other places east.

Mrs. J. C. McCullough and son
who have been living in Cleve-
land, have returned to Lima for the

WIFE

And Babe Passed
Away.

A Sad Message

Announces the Close of
a Romance.

Home That was Made Happy
by a Romantic Marriage
is Saddened.

Wife and Infant of John Francis
Brice, Son of the Late States-
man and Financier, are
Both Dead.

A dispatch from Cambridge, Mass.,
to today's Enquirer contained the fol-
lowing:

Mrs. Florence Ricketts Brice and
her infant son died at their home, 14
Craigie street, early this morning.

This sad announcement is the clos-
ing chapter in a pretty romance that
resulted nearly a year and a half ago
in the marriage of John Francis Brice,
youngest son of the late ex-United
States Senator Calvin S. Brice, of
Ohio, and Miss Florence Lucie Rick-
etts. The young mother and her
child both died shortly after the infant
was born. The end was unexpected,
and shocked not only the members of
Mr. Brice's family, but also a large
circle of friends in Cambridge and
New York.

The marriage of John Francis Brice
and Miss Ricketts was announced to
their friends early in May, 1900. He
was a student at the Harvard Law
School and in the University course
was by orator in the class of 1899.

Mrs. Brice was known formerly as
Lucille LaVergne, and was a member
of the Rounders Company that played
during that year in this city. It was
known that Mr. Brice was paying Miss
LaVergne some attention, but the an-
nouncement of their marriage, which
took place in Wilmington, Del., in
April, during the college recess, was a
surprise to all, even their most inti-
mate friends.

It was a genuine love affair. Mrs.
Brice was a very beautiful woman, ex-
ceedingly interesting and highly cul-
tivated.

After their marriage they were do-
mestic at the home of Mrs. Brice,
the young man's mother, in New York.

Later they came to Cambridge to en-
able Mr. Brice to complete his law
school studies, and took up their home
at 14 Craigie street. They had many
warm friends in the most exclusive
Cambridge set, as well as in Newport
society.

The funeral arrangements have not
yet been completed.

From and after September
1st, all gas bills will be pay-
able at the office of the com-
pany, 112 west Market street.
Collectors will not be sent
out in the future. e-o-d.

A PLEASANT EVENT.

The annual excursion on Labor
Day run by the west Wayne street
church of Christ was one of the most
delightful in the history of the C. H.
& E. road. Over 500 people enjoyed
the outing. Some went to Detroit
and Put-in-Bay, while many remained
in the city. The boats returned in
good time to take the train at 9:30,
arriving in Lima at 11:30. Many re-
marked that it was one of the best
conducted excursions they ever at-
tended.

No need to fear sudden attacks of
cholera infantum, dysentery, diarrhoea,
summer complaint of any sort if you
have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild
Strawberry in the medicine chest.

DRESSMAKING AND LADY
TAILORING.

Mrs. H. A. Mabber, formerly of
Baltimore, Md., begs to inform the
ladies that she has resumed work at
her present home, 202 west Kibby
street. Having made tailor work a
specialty for several years, we can
guarantee satisfaction in that line as
well as ordinary dressmaking. Satis-
factory terms.

The place to get your fall
suit and overcoat is at J. E.
Summers', Tailor and Drap-
er, 140 north Main street.

150 rounds up to Mohr's park for
balance of subscription. 8-3t

Dr. Taylor, dentist, Cincinnati block,
all work guaranteed. 53-t

SMEALTER

Will be Built With Ohio
Capital.

It Will Handle the Output of
Sullivan Mine.

Prospects Bright for the Future of
Mine Owned by the Van Dyke-
Hull-Layton People in
British Columbia.

The last edition of the Rossland
Miner contains the following article
concerning the building of a smelter
in the region of the Sullivan group of
mines in British Columbia, owned by
a party of Ohio capitalists, principal
among whom is J. W. Van Dyke, B.
W. Layton, and George W. Hull:

SMEALTER FOR SULLIVAN.
Spokane Capitalists Go to the Mine to
Select a Location.

Senator George Turner and B. W.
Layton, of Wapakoneta, Ohio, who
represented the control of the Sullivan
Group company, left Spokane on Mon-
day for Kimberley, B. C., to look over
the ground with the view of deciding
upon a location for the smelter which
the company expects to build. They
expected to join George Hull of Toledo
Ohio, at Nelson, B. C., and would go
with him to the mine. Mr. Hull is
one of the group of Ohio men who are
heavily interested in the Sullivan.

The plans for financing the smelter
have been pretty well formulated by
the directors of the company. It is ex-
pected that \$125,000 will be needed to
carry forward the enterprise. A
group of the heaviest stockholders ex-
pect to join together in furnishing that
sum. The bulk of the money will
come from the eastern holders, but
Spokane people, including Senator
Turner, Colonel William Ridpath and
Ed. Sanders, will probably furnish a
part of the money. It will be loaned
for a term of years at 8 per cent, and a
mortgage against the mine will proba-
bly be given in security.

In addition it is proposed to give a
bonus of 500,000 shares by the com-
pany to the syndicate furnishing the
money. The capital stock will be in-
creased from \$2,500,000 to \$3,000,000
for that purpose, and the new stock
will be issued as a bonus. The Tur-
ner-Layton-Hull interests are credited
with holding about 1,550,000 shares out
of the present capital. It is expected
that this will be enough to guarantee
the passage of an amendment to the
company constitution, so as to pro-
vide for an increase in the capital.

The location of the smelter is still
speculative, but it is believed by the
north county people that it will go up
at Marysville, where there is a mag-
nificent water power. There is a fine
location as a center for ores from
nearly all of the St. Mary's country.

Another point to be determined is
whether the smelter shall be built now
or next spring. It will take a vast
quantity of brick, estimated at 1,250,-
000, in order to complete the plant,
and the problem of getting that quan-
tity now is confronting the directors
of the Sullivan company.

INTEREST PAID ON DEPOSITS AT
Allen County Building
and Loan Association.
Office 109 west Market st. Cincinnati Bldg.
AMOS YOUNG, Sec.

WANTED.

WANTED—Girl for general house-
work. Inquire of Mrs. D. M.
Stough, 804 west Elm street. 8-3t

FOR RENT—New eight room house,
all modern improvements. Inquire
at 1007 west Market street. 62-tf

FOR RENT—Basement and rear of
Columbia Shoe Store in Black
block. 72-tf

Wanted—To repair your old stoves.
We carry repairs to fit 500 different
kinds of stoves such as grates, tops,
backs and ends. The south Lima
Second Hand and stove repair store.
Give them a call. 717 south Main
street, old phone 626. sep12-1m

Wanted—Several persons of char-
acter and good reputation in each
state (one in this county required)
to represent and advertise old es-
tablished wealthy business house of
solid financial standing. Salary \$18
weekly with expenses additional,
all payable in cash each Wednesday
direct from head offices. Horse and
carriage furnished, when necessary.
References. Enclose self-addressed
stamped envelope. Manager, 306
Caxton Building, Chicago. 78-2tt

FOR SALE—Gas engine, 12-horse
power Miami Engine, at a bargain;
good condition; address, The Ohio
Foundry Co., Dayton, O. 76-tf

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New Fall Fabrics

THE NEW FALL DRESS GOODS.

We have provided the largest assortment of BLACK and COLORED
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Colored Dress Goods.

45 inch Pin Head Cloth in brown,
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\$1.00 the yard

45 inch Satin Soliel in new fall shades,
at

\$1.00 the yard

45 inch English Covert Serge in de-
sirable mixtures, at

\$1.00 the yard.

54 inch Homespun in dark grey and
brown mixtures, very special value at

50c the yard

56 inch all wool Homespun in new
fall mixtures, at

98c the yard

52 inch very fine quality Venitian
Covert Suitings, in grey, brown and blue
mixtures, special at

\$1.50 the yard

52 inch fine quality Broadcloth in all
the new fall shades; a special bargain at

\$1.00 the yard

Black Dress Goods.

52 inch all wool black Cheviot, at

50c the yard

Very fine quality 52 inch black
Cheviot, at

75c the yard

54 inch black Pebble Cheviot, at

\$1.00 the yard

38 inch black Satin Soliel, excellent
quality, at

75c the yard

45 inch black Satin Soliel, very ex-
ceptional value, at

\$1.00 the yard

Superior quality 45 inch black Satin
Soliel, at

\$1.25 the yard.

50 inch Drap de Alma, worth \$1.50, at

\$1.39 the yard

45 inch Drap de Paris, very fine qual-
ity, at

\$1.25 the yard

Very fine quality 40 inch black Mel-
rose, at

\$1.00 the yard

45 inch black Prunella Cloth,

\$1.00 the yard

46 inch very fine quality Prunella
Cloth, at

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Thomson Dry Goods Co.

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GUARANTEE JEWELRY CO.

217 SOUTH MAIN STREET, METZGER BLOCK.

We come into your midst as total strangers, and will endeavor
by honest treatment and square dealings, to win both your respect
and confidence. We have come to stay. Your home will be our home,
and we know that if we meet you once and secure your confidence
you will be both our friend and patron.

We shall open up a strictly FIRST-CLASS store, consisting of

Fine Watches, .. Diamonds

And Jewelry of every description, Leather Novelties
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Our stock is the largest ever exhibited in Lima or vicinity. We
are both Jobbers and Manufacturers, and you have no middle-man's
profit to pay. We can safely guarantee you a saving of 50 per cent on
every purchase.

Come in, because we want to meet you, whether you want to
buy anything or not. Hoping we will have the pleasure to meet you,
we remain,
Yours,

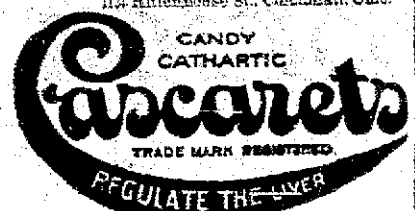
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217 South Main Street, Lima, Ohio.

OPENING ABOUT SEPTEMBER 5th.

BAD BREATH

"I have been using CASCARETS and as a result my breath is sweet and my stomach is healthy. My bowels are regular and my appetite is good. After taking a few boxes of CASCARETS I feel like a new man. They are a great help to the family."



FRANKLIN, Palatable, Painless, Taste Good, Do Good, Never Sickens, Weakens or Grates. 25c per box. CURE CONSTIPATION. Standing Remedy Company, Chicago, New York, 315 N. 9th St. Sold and guaranteed by all druggists to CURE Constipation Habit.

NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT G. A. R., CLEVELAND, OHIO.

For the 25th annual encampment, the Chicago & Erie R. R. will sell excursion tickets to Cleveland, Ohio and return at rate of one cent per mile. Tickets on sale at all stations, September 8th to 12th inclusive, good returning until September 15th and on, on payment of 50 cents to joint agent at Cleveland. Tickets will be extended to October 5th. For information regarding rates and side trips from Cleveland to Buffalo, Niagara Falls and Put-in-Bay, apply to Erie agents, or

W. S. MORRISON, T. P. A., Huntington, Ind.

A Certain Cure for Dysentery and Diarrhoea.

"Some years ago I was one of a party that intended making a long bicycle trip," says E. L. Taylor, of New Albany, Bradford County, Pa. "I was taken suddenly with diarrhoea and was about to give up the trip, when editor Ward, of the Lyncville Messenger, suggested that I take a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I purchased a bottle and took two doses, one before starting and one on the route. I made the trip successfully and never felt any ill effect. Again last summer I was almost completely run down with an attack of dysentery. I bought a bottle of this same remedy and this time one dose cured me." Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

ONE CENT PER MILE

To Cleveland via Pennsylvania Lines.

September 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, and 12th for the National Encampment G. A. R. Low fare is for the benefit of all persons who may desire to attend the first reunion held in the organization, as well as for anybody who may desire to make a trip to Cleveland at cheap fares. The return limit on all excursion tickets for the occasion will include September 15th, with privilege to extend to October 5th. Ticket agents of Pennsylvania Lines will answer inquiries on the subject. See the nearest one. P. M. Eskin, ticket agent, Lima, Ohio.

A Shocking Calamity.

"Lately I fell a railroad laborer," writes Dr. A. Kellett, of Whitford, Ark. "His foot was badly crushed, but Bucklen's Arnica Salve quickly cured him. It's simply wonderful for Burns, Boils, Piles and all skin eruptions. It's the world's champion healer. Cure guaranteed. 25c. Sold by H. F. Vorkamp drug store."

Reduced Fares to California Via Pennsylvania Lines.

Special low rate tickets to San Francisco, account General Convention Episcopal church, will be sold via Pennsylvania lines September 18th to 26th, inclusive, also on September 27th for trains reaching Chicago or St. Louis that date. For further information see ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines. d&w-t

The G. R. & I. annual excursion from stations Richmond to Ft. Wayne, inclusive, on September 5, 1901; stations Fort Wayne to Reed City, inclusive, September 10, 1901. \$5.00 round trip to Petoskey, good for 45 days.

C. L. LOCKWOOD, G. P. A.

Hook—"I'm going to the shore for change." Nye—"You'll need it most when you come back."

The hamlet actor has a hard time of it. His ambition eggs him on and the public usually eggs him off.

Baby got the colic? A dose or two of

DR. JAMES' SOOTHING SYRUP CORDIAL.

Will fix him up in a jiffy. Cures all the ills of childhood.

At drug stores. 15 cents a bottle.

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EDWARD'S CORONATION

Great Preparations Being Made For the Event.

STRUGGLE FOR INVITATIONS.

Crowning of King Will Be a Most Brilliant Spectacle—Ceremony in Beautiful Westminster Abbey—All England's Nobility to Participate. Edward's Curious Superstition.

Far off though it yet is, the coming coronation of the king is the one absorbing topic in London. It is so many years since the royal British heart has swelled with the pride and pomp of such a ceremony that all England is eager for the show, says a special cable from London to the New York Journal. And the struggle for royal recognition has already begun. The rich Philistines, as Matthew Arnold dubbed the merchant princes and lordly brewers of the great middle class, are pulling every visible wire to secure tickets to the abbey, and middle class society, affably smiling in public, is volcanic in its rivalry, which threatens a disruptive outbreak.

The lords and bishops, ministers, political leaders and court officials will of course have places at the royal function, and when these are filled and representatives of colonies and foreign nations are cared for there will be little room for the common in beautiful Westminster abbey.

It will be a most brilliant sight. King Edward is a dear lover of pomp and ceremony that impresses the mind and of lavish display that fills the eye. The noble lords and their noble consorts, in their robes of state and coronets, with their expensive trains borne by hundreds of children, will alone be worth the price of admission, as A. Ward of humorous memory used to say. There will be a famous display of jewels. The death of Queen Victoria is long enough a thing of the past even now to permit society to set itself ablaze with costly gems. And among the ladies of St. James' the queen is pre-eminent for the beauty of her personal adornments. She has long been noted for the taste she has displayed in jewelry, and she has set the fashion of wearing long chains and ropes of pearls. At Lady Warwick's fancy dress ball she wore her favorite chain, consisting of many ropes of pearls strung through diamond clasps at intervals and falling below her waist and terminating in three ends, with tassels of pearls.

A curious superstition on the part of the king has been revealed by the preparations for the coronation. Edward has commanded that no opal shall have a place among the jewels of his crown or any other part of the coronation regalia. And the unfortunate stone is under a taboo in polite society and will be under it until the crown has been placed on the royal head.

King Edward has been credited with some remarkable exploits as an automobile "scorcher." He is now away from London, where there is plenty of room for a 60 mile an hour pace, but before leaving Windsor he more than once broke the law regulating the speed of vehicles on the public highway with a thoroughness that would have brought his most excited subject promptly to court.

The legal pace of 12 miles an hour will take neither king nor subject from Marlborough House to Windsor in 60 minutes or anywhere near it, yet that was Edward's early record as an automobile. Shortly before leaving London he covered the distance to Frogmore and thence to Lord Arlington's place at even a stiffer pace. But respecting his own laws the king is immune.

LATER DAY FAVORED.

Many Public Men Want Inauguration Date Changed.

A change in the date of inauguration day from March 4 to a later time is favored by a number of United States senators and other public men in interviews secured by The Evening Post, says a Chicago dispatch to the New York Times. Among those who expressed themselves as favorable to a change are Senators Mark Hanna, W. B. Allison, S. B. Ekins, J. P. Dilliver and J. C. Burrows, ex-Senator William E. Chandler, Secretary Lyman J. Gage, Governor Durbin of Indiana and Congressman Albert J. Hopkins.

Few unfavorable replies were received. One of the principal reasons urged for a change is that March 4 is the most unseasonable time of the year for a pageant such as always marks the inaugural ceremonies. If the day were later, it is believed, people from all parts of the United States would flock to Washington, and the event would be more imposing and more national.

Several of those interviewed make the point that the present date for the inauguration makes the second session of congress too short. By placing the date on April 30 this session would be extended from three to five months. This appears to be of greater importance to several who have expressed an opinion than the question of mere probable inclement weather.

DRUG FOR WORMS. Found 1804 Dollar. John Cunningham, proprietor of the Monument Square cigar store, recently made a lucky find in the garden back of his home on Pleasant street, says a Leominster (Mass.) dispatch to the New York Times. He was digging for fish-bone worms, and in one spadeful of earth which he turned over he found a silver dollar of 1804. That issue of the coin is rare and is said to be worth from \$600 to \$800. The figures and characters are as legible as they were the day the coin was minted.

A WAITER'S LUCK.

Great Future Predicted For Man Who Got De Reszke's Prize.

According to the prediction of Giacomo Minkowsky, composer and friend of De Reszke, Nordica and many other famous musicians and singers, says the New York World, a man who has been a waiter in Delmonico's is to become the greatest singer in the world.

Guillaume Duchesne is the man. He will receive the scholarship in vocal music offered by Edouard de Reszke in the Metropolitan School of Voice and Singing. His good fortune came to him as the result of the loss of a coin.

Mr. Minkowsky was selected by De Reszke to find a boy or young man poor in the world's goods, but gifted with a voice of unusual quality, to whom the scholarship was to be awarded. Many applicants were heard, but none possessed a voice far enough above the average to meet the requirements. Mr. Minkowsky had almost given up his quest when he stumbled across the fortunate man in an accidental way two weeks ago.

He was returning with his wife from Midland Beach, and they were uncertain whether to have dinner on Staten Island or return to Manhattan. To settle the question a coin was tossed, and they dined at the beach. When they entered a restaurant they heard a voice singing in an adjoining room. They were spellbound. They found that the singer was a waiter in Delmonico's.

Mr. Minkowsky learned that Duchesne was a man of excellent character, and after trying his voice, called to De Reszke that "the lost Italian voice had been found." The great singer was delighted and at once called back that the scholarship should go to Duchesne. The former waiter will study English literature, musical history and other subjects necessary to his mental development. He is by birth a Frenchman, by descent an Italian and by adoption an American. Mr. Minkowsky is enthusiastic over his discovery and confidently predicts that Duchesne will be the greatest singer of the future.

THE SULTAN'S PALACE.

It Is Proof Against Bombs, Earthquakes, Fires and Microbes.

The Eildiz palace at Constantinople is a monument to fear. It is assassin proof, bombproof, earthquake proof, fireproof, microbe proof. Architects and engineers are building and rebuilding incessantly, says Everybody's Magazine. Some new secret retreat is always under way. The entire domain is surrounded by an immense wall 30 feet high, and the choicest troops of the empire stand guard around it. An inner wall 12 feet thick, with gates of iron, encloses the private residence itself. The walls of the sultan's dwelling are filled with armor plate in case of projectiles.

It is said that a mysterious passage connects with 10 secret bed chambers, forming an intricate labyrinth. No one but his body attendant knows where the sultan may sleep during any particular night. He has electric lights and telephones in his own apartments, but forbids them in Constantinople. Telephone might prove handy for conspirators, and he believes that a dynamite cartridge could be sent over a wire into the palace. He fears electric explosions, so Constantinople itself gets along with gaslight. He hates the word dynamite because it sounds like dynamite. Balloons are tabooed lest one should pause over him long enough to drop a chunk of explosive.

As to the regal luxury of the Eildiz, that is a matter of course. The domain is a small world in itself. Fire thousand people live within the outer wall, not counting a small army of workmen and the 7,000 imperial guardsmen. There are shops, factories, arsenals, stables, a library, museum, picture gallery, theater and even a menagerie. The monarch loves trees, but he keeps their branches well lopped off, so that he can see to the farthest corner of his park.

TO WARM FISH IN WINTER.

Plans For Success of a Hatchery In Montana.

The new fish hatchery on Mill creek, near Anaconda, promoted by C. W. Atwater and C. A. Parker, comprising 80 acres of land, is the first homestead ever taken up for the purpose of raising fish, says a Helena (Mont.) dispatch to the St. Louis Republic. It is a hatchery for trout and grayling.

It is the intention to hatch 800,000 eggs a year, and it is estimated that from that number at least 500,000 young fish may be successfully developed. The water used is too cool for the newly spawned fish, even in the summer, and artificial heat will be applied to keep it at the proper temperature.

One serious problem that has not been solved is what will happen to the stream in the winter. If it freezes, the fish will be destroyed. It is believed that a system of heated pipes will serve to moderate the cold of extreme winters.

On the same ranch have been raised Belgian hares, and they are regarded as curiosities by eastern visitors.

A Daring Feat.

Alexander H. G. Maidmont of Hackensack, N. J., an enthusiastic member of the Kinderhook Canoe club, performed the daring feat of sailing his 15 foot canoe over the dams at Oradell and New Milford, something never before attempted, says the New York World. The leap over the Oradell dam landed him in the rapids, at the end of which was a fallen tree. Mr. Maidmont skillfully guided his canoe past this obstruction and then plunged over the New Milford dam, opposite the Hackensack waterworks, into 20 feet of water. This leap almost swamped the canoe. The canoe was slightly damaged.

WARFARE UNDER WATER

Views of Admiral Melville on Torpedo Boats.

STILL IN EXPERIMENTAL STAGE.

Believes No Efficient Submarine Fighting Machine Yet Secured—In His Opinion France Has Made No Substantial Progress—Says Reports of Gustave Zede Exaggerated.

The recent startling reports as to the performance of submarine boats at the French maneuvers have increased the agitation at home and abroad of the question of the utility of these vessels for naval purposes. Rear Admiral Melville, who has made a special study of the usefulness and efficiency of the submarine type, gave to the New York Tribune's Washington correspondent a review of the progress and the small practical success that have been so far secured.

It is in France that enthusiasm and public interest most abound. By reason of the great desire of the French admiralty to put their naval service on an equality with that of Great Britain and possibly by reason of their financial inability to construct as many armored cruisers and battleships as England the French are hoping that they can develop the submarine in advance of other nations. In Admiral Melville's opinion, they have as yet made no substantial progress. At the recent maneuvers of the French navy an effort was made by the admiralty to approximate as to the value of submarine boats for naval purposes. The official reports have not yet been made public. One artistic story, however, of Jules Verne's romances and which was called to the country some time ago as to the unqualified success of the experiment has been proved to be more sensational than real.

It is now learned that instead of steaming alone from Toulon to Ajaccio the Gustave Zede was accompanied by a steamer which was there to tow the submarine. Very little stock in the success of that evolution is taken by naval experts since it is well known that the whole design of the boat has been condemned by the French admiralty, and it has even been officially announced that no more boats of her character will be built. There is nothing in the evolution to impress one with the fact that anything unusual had been done. To say that this feat will do anything to convince skeptics that the submarine boat has been developed to a point beyond the experimental stage would require a vivid imagination. Considerable credit is due to the commander of the Zede, for recent experience in France with submarines shows that the crew of the boat suffer greatly in every dive of any duration. About two years ago the French advocates of submarine boats contended that the Naval answered all the requirements that could possibly be demanded of this type of craft. When the minister of marine subjected this boat to an official test, it required 20 minutes to submerge her. In that period the craft could be destroyed by any vessel having a machine gun, and therefore success was looked for elsewhere. She could even be run down by a torpedo boat destroyer or any rapidly moving boat.

The Morse was then accepted as the proper type for the French service to adopt. Official tests and experiments showed that she possessed little more merit than the Naval and that radical improvements would have to be made in her before an efficient submarine boat could be secured that would meet even part of the requirements demanded by the admiralty. The Farfadet is the very latest design the French have produced, and, although the admiralty have been experimenting for months with her, there is no evidence that this craft is any more efficient than her predecessor. The French admiralty therefore has a well defined policy in its attempt to secure a submarine boat. The design is still regarded as being in an experimental stage. The officials are not wedded to the belief that any inventor has yet secured an efficient fighting machine. It is recognized that ultimate success can best be secured by progression. We can safely follow such a wise and sensible course. The field should be kept open to every designer and inventor who has given thought to the question and who is ready to put his study to practical use by building a craft and subjecting it to government tests.

The securing of an efficient submarine boat therefore seems somewhat remote. If Edison's storage battery proves the success its inventor hopes it will be, then progressive advancement can be expected. As the range of action is very small with the present type of electric motor and storage batteries, the usefulness of the craft is naturally limited. Fortunately for this country our naval and military experts are more interested in finding a submarine boat that can be useful in mining and countermining harbors. In work of this character the lake submarine boat has been a commercial success, and experts believe that it is equally adaptable for naval and military purposes.

The indifference of Russia, Germany and Great Britain to submarine boats conclusively prove that this type of craft is still in the experimental stage. The American policy of early developing the submarine boat for mining and countermining purposes is in the line of utility, conservatism and sound military principles.

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A Communication.

Mr. Editor—Allow me to speak a few words in favor of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. I suffered for three years with bronchitis and could not sleep at nights. I tried several doctors and various patent medicines, but could get nothing to give me any relief until my wife got a bottle of this valuable medicine, which has completely relieved me.—W. S. Brockman, Bagnell, Mo. This remedy is for sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

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Celina.—Fisherman's rate \$1.50 Good 30 days.

L. E. & W. G. A. R. SPECIAL.

A special train will leave Lima at 12:45 a. m., Monday, September 9th, arriving at Cleveland at 6:50 a. m. Rate \$2.50. Tickets at same rate on all regular trains of September 8, 9, 10, 11, 12th, good to return September 15. Extension to October 8 can be had for fee of 50 cents.

Tourist rates to Lakeside, Put-in-Bay and eastern tourist points.

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Mr. G. A. Stillman, a merchant of Tampico, Ill., writes: "Foley's Kidney Cure is meeting with wonderful success. It has cured some cases here that physicians pronounced incurable. I myself am able to testify to its merits. My face to day is a living picture of health, and Foley's Kidney Cure has made it such." H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

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Thursday, September 5.

Fare for the round trip will be only \$9.00 from Charleston, \$8.50 from Ft. Pleasant, Gallipolis, Pomeroy, Middleport, and Athens, \$6.00 from Centerburg, Columbus and St. Mary's and proportionately low rates from all other stations to all points named except rate to Alpena will be \$1.00 less. Tickets will be on sale for train No. 5 and special train to connect with Pere Marquette train leaving Toledo at 4.15 p. m.

RETURN LIMIT. Tickets will be good for return leaving destination until Monday, September 16th.

For full and complete information call on or address Agents of the Ohio Central Lines.

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Pan-American Exposition at Buffalo.

Low rates by rail or by boat.

Tourist rates to all northern and

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The New Train-Toledo special,

leaves Lima every Sunday at 6:15 a.

m., making boat connections. Leav-

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Lakeview, O., Fisherman's rates, 90c

for round trip tickets good 15 days.

For full information and literature,

apply at ticket office.

Excursion to Soldier's Home.

On September 5th the C. H. & D.

will run an excursion to Dayton and

the Soldier's Home at rate of \$1.25.

Train leaves Lima at 5:30 a. m.

G. A. R. Excursion to Cleveland.

Account the G. A. R. excursion at

Cleveland, the C. H. & D. will

make a rate of \$2.00 for round trip

tickets or sale September 8 to 12, good

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Pan-American rates via C. H. & D.

\$12.50 for tickets good 25 days.

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The six day tickets on sale Tues-

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arrangements for accommodation and

comfort for all who join this special

train. Rate \$2.00. Tickets good until

September 15th, with privilege of ex-

tension by depositing and payment of

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Excursion to Toledo.

On Sunday, September 8th, Rate

\$1.25. Train leaving at 6:15, 7:42 and

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Your Choice.

\$8.55 to Buffalo and return on Tues-

day. Tickets will be accepted by

both boat or rail at your option. These

tickets good six days. An excellent

opportunity for a trip on the palatial

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Sidney Fair.

\$1.00 round trip. Tickets on sale Sep-

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Special Excursion to Northern Michi-

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On September 14th and 15th the C.

H. & D. will run special excursions

to tourist points on Michigan Central

Ry. Per Marquette R. R. and Ann

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Lima. Mackinac Island and return

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trains of above dates.

TROPICS IN THE FUTURE

Dr. Wilson Says In Time We

Can Work There.

POSSIBLE TO COLONIZE JUNGLES.

Weather Expert Says If Tropical

Diseases Are Studied Torrid Zone

Will Become the Garden Spot of the

World—Attacks Health Resorts.

Value of Rainfalls.

Dr. W. M. Wilson, forecaster of the

Milwaukee weather bureau, predicted

before the national convention of

weather bureau officials that the time

was coming when it would be possible

to colonize the jungles of the tropics

and establish industries such as now

exist in the temperate zone, says a

Milwaukee dispatch to the New York

Sun. He said in part:

"Practically all the great industries

are centered within the limits of the

world's great workshop—the temperate

zone. Thus far every effort to plant a

great nation outside of this narrow belt

has failed. Gigantic schemes with elab-

orate and refined preparations for colo-

nization of the tropics have always

been met by the insurmountable bar-

rier of death and disease, until the

West Indies have become known as the

graveyard of Europe.

"One cannot, however, fail to be im-

pressed by the absence of attempt to

classify or analyze the characteristics

of the various maladies that have pro-

duced the disastrous results of the past.

The way in which the responsibility

has been placed upon climatic condi-

tions is little less than perfidious. It

is a matter of common knowledge that

certain infectious diseases exist only

within certain limited areas. This has

given rise to the belief that the cause

for their origin and propagation must

be found in the prevailing climatic con-

ditions. The tropics are deemed abso-

DR. HARTMAN'S ADVICE

Is Sought by Female Sufferers From Ocean to Ocean.

Mrs. F. W. Goulder, 1306 Fourth avenue, Rock Island, Illinois, writes: "I was afflicted for five or six years with catarrhal difficulties and was growing worse all the time. I began taking your Peruna with a marked improvement from the first. Independent of curing that, the Peruna has greatly improved my general health."

"Every bottle of Peruna is worth its weight in gold; especially to me, for I owe my present good health to it." All over the country there are women who have been invalids for many years, suffering with female derangements.

What a boon to such women is Dr. Hartman's free advice! So famous has his skill made him that hardly a hamlet or town in the country but knows his name. He cures tens of thousands, and he offers to every woman who will write to him her symptoms and a history of her trouble, free advice and treatment.

The medicines he prescribes can be obtained at any drug store, and the cost is within the reach of any woman. He describes minutely and carefully just what she should do and get to make a healthy, robust woman of herself.

Address Dr. Hartman, Columbus, Ohio, for a free copy of "Health and Beauty."

HITCH

Occurred in Distributing the Books

But the Matter was Adjusted and the Readers are Now Ready for Distribution.

There was a slight hitch yesterday in getting things started for the opening of school, the book dealers having received instructions not to sell the new readers of Ginn & Co., until they received further orders. Many of the children applied for books but were so notified. There was a rumor abroad that there would be a legal controversy before matters were settled, but such is not the case.

The fault was with the publishers, who had not definitely fixed the question of cost on some of the books, and Mr. Heister, the distributing agent, did not know what to charge the sub-agents. The question of adopting the primer of the series of readers was also to be disposed of, but Supt. Miller, after some telegraphing, finally adjusted the difficulty with the publishers and it was also decided after a conference with some members of the board, to reject the primer.

From and after September 1st, all gas bills will be payable at the office of the company, 112 west Market street. Collectors will not be sent out in the future. e-o-d.

CAT DID IT.

Upset a Lamp and Set Fire to the Bed Clothes.

Last evening at 7:45 o'clock the fire department was called to the home of Tom O'Neil in the Lawlor block on east Wayne street to extinguish a fire that had been started by a pet cat. The animal had accidentally overturned a lamp that was resting on a stand and the flames ignited the carpet and the rear wheel of a bicycle and some bed clothing. The flames were extinguished before much damage was done.

The place to get your fall suit and overcoat is at J. E. Summers, Tailor and Draper, 140 north Main street. 7-3t

MUSIC.

WANTED—A limited number of pupils for private music lessons. Call or address,

MAE O'CONNOR
78-5t 140 west McKibben street.

Go to Northern Michigan on G. R. & I. annual excursion.

OLD

Trouble is Again Revived

By a Divorce

In Which Mrs. Clara McCall is Plaintiff.

The Petition Charges Extreme Cruelty and Gross Neglect of Duty.

The Allegations Made Are of an Extremely Sensational Character —Dr. McCall Blames the Relatives of His Wife.

Yesterday evening there was filed with the county clerk, a divorce petition of more than ordinary interest, as it is the sequel of an incident that first gave to the public ear an inkling of trouble in the home of Dr. E. McCall. At that time it was explained that Mrs. McCall's parents and the doctor were not on the best of terms and that he held them responsible for causing trouble between himself and wife. The affair got into the courts but was afterwards adjusted and not until the filing of the petition referred to above has the public been apprised of any further disagreement in the McCall household.

Mrs. McCall's action opens the case again, however, and it is not likely that the petition will remain unanswered as the allegations are such as to call forth a defense on the part of the husband, even though he were willing to consent to the legal separation. The introductory part of the petition says that Edward E. McCall and Clara E. McCall were married at Indianapolis, on the 16th day of May, 1898. Then follows the first charge of extreme cruelty in which Mrs. McCall alleges that her physical condition is due mainly to treatment on the part of the defendant, and that while she was an invalid, suffering from a stroke of paralysis, her husband used violent and profane language in addressing her. The petition also alleges that the defendant pushed the plaintiff out of bed on to the floor, and then caught hold of her paralyzed arm and pulled her back on to the bed again.

Other acts of violence are cited that are of even a more sensational character, and the plaintiff adds that she was compelled to make a will leaving all of her property to her husband, who had told her he would never have married her but for her money.

Mrs. McCall says her husband as a physician is capable of making \$2500 a year, but that she was deprived of many of the things that she considered conducive to her health and happiness.

Several pieces of property, which includes four dwelling houses, are in the Nicholls' addition and three in the East addition to Lima. Mrs. McCall claims to have inherited from her former husband, and she asks that in addition to an absolute divorce, the defendant be restrained from collecting any of the rents or otherwise interfering with her rights. She also asks that her husband be restrained from disposing of any of his own property until the court shall have passed on the question of the plaintiff's rights.

A Special Jury.
The following persons have been summoned to appear at the court house Tuesday, September 10th, to serve as a special jury during the time that Judge Armstrong will hold court: John Slusser, Bath; Levi Kemper, First ward; John A. Cook, Auglaize, east; Miner Crossley, Fourth ward; James Stephens, Dolphos; M. M. Boyd, Jackson; Lewis Staup, Monroe; Abraham Brenneman, Sugar Creek; Clinton States, Monroe; Wm. Rusler, Shawnee; Geo. Hardesty, Auglaize, west; E. A. Dean, Fifth ward; E. L. Stallkamp, Dolphos; J. H. M. Morrison, Fifth ward; J. J. Grove, Fourth ward, and Wm. Melville, Sixth ward.

A Large Family.
There are fourteen prisoners now occupying cells in the county jail, nearly all of whom are waiting for the grand jury to pass on the merits of the offense for which they have been bound over.

Will of James Place.
The will of the late James Place was filed in Probate Court yesterday and the hearing set for September 14. Deceased leaves to his daughter, Ruth, \$1,000; to his son, Asbury, 26 acres of land; to his son, Ezra, 41 acres in Perry township; to his daughter, Melissa Pepple, 40 acres, known as the Vermillion farm; to his daughter, Bertha, 160 acres near West Minister. The rest of the property is divided equally among the heirs. Asbury Place and J. O. Onier are named executors.

Good Way Out of It.
Cora LeViness, the girl found at Dora Swain's resort Sunday night, was brought from the county jail at five o'clock yesterday evening and given in marriage to Joseph Vamoy, a young man 22 years of age, who gives his occupation as a rope maker. The girl's father, M. F. LeViness, thought it perhaps the best way out of an unhappy predicament and the ceremony was performed at the Probate Judge office, Justice Reilly being called upon to administer the marriage vows.

Real Estate Transfers.
Francis Ashton to James G. Zimmerman, lot 5582, Ashton addition, \$290.
Nathan L. Michael to Thomas H. Duggan, lot 4448, Morris' second addition, \$300.
Geo. H. Rankins to Alva O. McPherson, 40 acres in Perry township, \$1550.
Chas. Ashton to Louisa Smith, lot 4502 in Dr. E. Ashton's first Maplewood addition, \$300.

Marriage Licenses.
Arthur B. Poling, 27, tool dresser, Amanda township, and Belle Glaze, 27, nurse, Lima.
Henry Brought, 29, tool dresser, and Daisy B. Harter, 18, both of Spencerville.
George Homer Feller, 25, carpenter, and Amelia Zuecher, 27, both of Willmot.

Dwight I. Roush, 26, Minister, and Mary Elizabeth Poling, 23, both of Amanda township.
Alfred O. McAdams, 60, farmer, Hardin county, and Anna M. Newell, 52, West Newton.

THIRTY DAYS

They are to serve in the Toledo Work House.

Charme Edwards, a colored woman, who has served several terms in jail in this city, is in trouble in Toledo, to which city she went about two years ago to get beyond the jurisdiction of H. S. Prophet. The Toledo Bee says: Melva Fields, Viola Reynolds and Charme Edwards, colored, were sent to the workhouse for 30 days each, the first named for conducting a house of ill fame and the other two for residing in the house. Charme Edwards is said to be the girl who relieved Antoine Schaeffer of \$3 while he was in her company.

EXPECT

To Make a Good Showing This Season.

Representatives Go to Findlay Saturday to Complete the Football Schedule.

The Lima High school athletic association reorganized yesterday, and the work carried on so successfully last year will be continued this year. Manager Poltz and coach Zeller will go to Findlay Saturday to complete the schedule for football games for the present season.

Practice began yesterday at Faurot park grounds for football. George Beeman who was right half for the Los Angeles, California, High school, the team that won the Pacific coast championship last year, will be in the High school team this season.

The place to get your fall suit and overcoat is at J. E. Summers, Tailor and Draper, 140 north Main street. 7-3t

MARRIED.

West/Newton Couple Wedded Here Last Evening.

Last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Hardesty on the south side, Mr. Alfred McAdams and Mrs. Anna M. Newell, both of West Newton, were united in the holy bonds of wedlock. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. Clarence Mitchell and was witnessed by a select number of friends of the bride and groom. An elaborate wedding supper followed the hearty congratulations that the happy couple received. Both are prominent residents at West Newton where they returned last night to take up the duties of housekeeping.

15c round trip to McBeth park for balance of the season. 5-3t

ATTENTION CO. K.

All members of Co. K, 24 O. N. G., are requested to report at the armory at 7:30 tonight, regular drill.
Thos. Morrison, Capt.

TOOK

A Turn That was Unexpected.

The Roll Call

Found But Two of the Committee Present

And Attorney for Suspended Officers Declined to Make a Defense.

A Continuance Refused and Witnesses Proceeded to Tell What They Knew About Alleged Misconduct.

The investigation before the police committee of the charges filed by that committee against chief of police James Harley and sergeant Caddy was announced to come up in the city council chamber at 1 o'clock this afternoon but it was after 2 o'clock before any start toward an adjustment of the prolonged case was made. The defense made a strenuous effort to secure another continuance, of the case on the claim that it wanted to get the affidavit of D. C. Richmond, Jr., who is now in Pittsburgh. Messrs. Moses and Sherman, however, declined to have the case continued further and at 2:26 o'clock chairman McCauley took the chairman's chair and called the committee to order. The solicitor stated that the case of chief Harley would be taken up first and he called the names of the witnesses whom the committee had subpoenaed. Most of them were present and were sworn by chairman McCauley.

Attorney H. P. Williamson, on behalf of Chief Harley, demanded a continuance of the hearing because Mr. Hoyt, one of the four members of the police committee was not present. Chairman McCauley said he was willing to continue the case but that the other two members, Messrs. Moses and Sherman had decided to proceed with the case. Mr. Williamson demanded a call of the roll on the question of a continuance and both Mr. Sherman and Mr. Moses voted no.

Upon this decision of the committee to proceed with the investigation, Mr. Williamson declared that he would refuse to try the case unless all members of the committee were present. He told the witnesses who had been subpoenaed for the defense that they were excused. He then took up his hat and accompanied by Chief Harley, left the council chamber.

The first witnesses called were Chas. McKeever, M. A. Bowius and R. G. Poage, who stated that they witnessed trouble between D. C. Richmond Jr., and chief Harley in Frankel's place on the evening during the later part of July. They stated that the chief was drinking and without provocation abused Mr. Richmond, using vile and profane language, and making several attempts to get to the latter and threatening to "beat his block off." Mr. Poage said the trouble started in the afternoon and was renewed in the evening when Mr. Richmond refused to drink with the officer. Said Mr. Richmond did nothing except to endeavor to keep away from Harley.

W. S. Lowe testified that he was talking to Harley on the fair grounds at the time a fight was going on. Harley was eating a lunch and made no effort to stop the fight until after Mr. Lowe asked him if he was going to let another officer, who was in the midst of the fight, get the worst of the scoundge.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the case was still on and there were still quite a number of witnesses to be examined. Chief Harley and his attorney did not return to the hearing.

WAS COMPROMISED.

Harry Reck, a piano player who has been working for John Berrigan, was arrested last night on complaint of Mr. Berrigan, for taking possession of some money that the latter had advanced for railroad tickets for a couple of performers he wanted to bring here from Dayton. It is claimed that while Mr. Berrigan was out of the city yesterday Reck went to the ticket office where the money had been deposited and reclaimed the money, claiming that Mr. Berrigan had changed his mind with regard to sending for the tickets.

This morning the matter was compromised and Reck was released.

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